

**ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL** \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE BOARD MEETING DATE** September 25, 2006

**SUBJECT:** Teacher Evaluation System Verification for FY 2006-2007

**SUBMITTED BY:** Jan Amator, Deputy Associate Superintendent of Highly Qualified Professionals

**MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:**

September 7, 2006

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Pursuant to A.R.S. §15-952.A.3 Local governing boards must submit evidence to the State Board of Education that the evaluation system originally approved by the Board continues to meet all requirements set forth in A.R.S. § 15-537.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §15-952.A. The governing board of a school district may calculate its revenue control limit and district support level for the budget year using the base level prescribed in section 15-901, subsection B, paragraph 2 increased by 1.25 percent if granted approval by the state board of education according to the following procedure: 1. If the governing board did not receive approval to increase the school district's base level as provided in this section for the current year: (a) The governing board shall submit evidence to the state board by May 1 that the school district has met the following requirements: (i) The school district's teacher performance evaluation system meets the standards recommended by the state board as prescribed in section 15-537.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §15-901.B. In this title, unless the context otherwise requires: 2. "Base level" means: (b) For fiscal year 2005-2006, three thousand one dollars.

At the February through June meetings, the State Board approved those districts who had submitted Statements of Assurance to continue the 1.25% budget level initially approved by the State Legislature (ARS §15-952). Attached is the Statement of Assurance we received since the June meeting.

**BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: [ ] INFORMATION [X] ACTION/DESCRIBED BELOW:**

The Board approval will signify that participating districts may continue the 1.25% budget level initially approved by the State Legislature. (See A.R.S. §15-952)

Since we're already out of compliance, please do this as soon as possible.

**ATTACHMENTS: YES [X] NO [ ]**



**ATTACHMENT**

**TEACHER COMPENSATION: ARS 15-952, FY 2006-2007**

**DISTRICTS RESPONDING SINCE THE PREVIOUS STATE BOARD MEETING**

Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections (211001000)

**DISTRICTS WITH NO RESPONSE:**

None